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October 8, 2004

Honorable James H. Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation
Office of Conservation
Post Office Box 44275
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-4275

Re: APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING
Hackberry Zone, Reservoir B, SUA
Marceaux Island Field
Cameron Parish, Louisiana.

Dear Sir:

Samuel Gary, Jr. & Associates ("Applicant") hereby respectfully applies for a public hearing to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Hackberry Zone, Reservoir B, SU A in the Marceaux Island Field, Cameron Parish, Louisiana:

1. To authorize Applicant to designate and utilize an alternate unit well at the location shown on the attached plat for the HBY RB SU A.
2. To find that the proposed alternate unit well is necessary to efficiently and economically drain a portion of the Hackberry Zone underlying the unit upon which it has been drilled and completed and which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any other well on such unit.
3. To consider such other matters as may be appropriate and justified by the evidence presented at the hearing.

j The Hackberry Zone, Reservoir B in the Marceaux Island Field, Cameron Parish, Louisiana was fully defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 1467-A, effective April 13, 2004.

Pertinent data concerning this application is available for inspection at the offices of Joe B. Adams, 9141 Interline Ave. Suite 3A, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70809. Any person wishing to inspect such data should contact Mr. Joe Adams at (225) 929-6097 during normal business hours to arrange a date and time for such inspection. A copy of any such data which is not otherwise available at the Office of Conservation can be obtained from the Applicant at the expense of the requesting party.

As provided for by the Revised Rules of Procedure, the subject matter of this hearing application does not require the issuance of a pre-application notice; therefore no such notice has been issued.

Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, Applicant has made a reasonable effort to obtain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners,

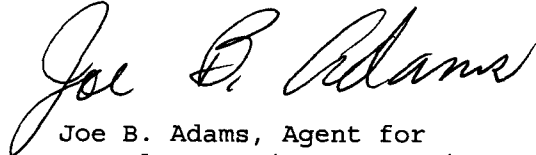
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Represented Parties and Interested Parties to whom this application is being sent and has attached hereto a list of the names and addresses of such parties. A copy of this letter and the attached plats is being sent to the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation and to the Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties, as shown on the attached list.

Applicant will provide for posting a copy of the Legal Notice of this hearing and the enclosed plat at a prominent place in the area affected and will cause the Legal Notice to be published in a newspaper published in the general area of Marceaux Island Field in accordance with the Revised Rules of Procedure. Applicant will also mail a copy of the Legal Notice to all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties when received by the Applicant.

A check in the amount of \$ 755.00, payable to the Office of Conservation, is enclosed which covers the application fee.

Yours very truly,



Joe B. Adams, Agent for
Samuel Gary, jr. & Associates

cc: Mr. Richard Hudson
Interested Owners, Represented Parties
and Interested Parties on the attached list.

